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17	U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT,))
18	Defendant.))
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21	UNOPPOSED MOTION TO STAY PROCEEDINGS	
22	PENDING COMPROMISE SETTLEMENT	
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24	Federal Defendant, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), by an	
25	through its undersigned counsel, respectfully requests this Court enter a thirty-day stay of all	
26	proceedings and deadlines, including all motion and discovery deadlines, in order to allow the	
27	parties to finalize the terms of a settlement agreement and to execute and enter a Stipulation to	
28	Dismiss with Prejudice.	

In support of this motion, the United States submits as follows:

- 1. Over the past several weeks the parties have been in negotiations, and have recently agreed in principal to a compromise settlement which will resolve all outstanding claims between the parties. Documents supporting this settlement are near completion.
- 2. Courts have broad discretion to stay proceedings for a limited time. *See Landis v. N. Am. Co.*, 299 U.S. 248, 254-55 (1936); *see also Clinton, v. Jones*, 520 U.S. 681 (1997) (courts have broad discretion in the management of cases, including the setting of cases for trial).
- 3. Granting a thirty-day stay of the proceedings and deadlines in this matter to allow the parties to complete the necessary actions to conclude their settlement agreement is both in the interest of the parties and is also in the interest of preserving judicial resources.
 - 4. The instant motion is filed in good faith and not for the purposes of delay.

WHEREFORE, for the above reasons, the United States respectfully requests this Court grant a thirty-day stay of the proceedings and deadlines in this matter.

Respectfully submitted this 26th day of September 2012.

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IT IS SO ORDERED.

Chy. M. On-UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

DATED: _September 27, 2012

PROOF OF SERVICE I, Justin E. Pingel, AUSA, certify that the following individual was served with the UNOPPOSED MOTION TO STAY PROCEEDINGS PENDING COMPROMISE **SETTLEMENT** on this date by the below identified method of service: **Electronic Case Filing:** Leslie M. Stovall Ross H. Moynihan 3216 W. Charleston Blvd., Suite B Las Vegas, Nevada 89102 702-258-3034 Fax 702-258-0093 ross@lesstovall.com Attorneys for Plaintiff DATED this 26th day of September 2012. <u>/s/ Justin Pingel</u> JUSTIN E. PINGEL **Assistant United States Attorney**